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Governor Musgrove Announces \$144,000 Grant for Tutwiler Volunteer Fire Department

(Jackson, MS) – Governor Ronnie Musgrove announced today that the Tutwiler Volunteer Fire Department will receive a \$144,000 grant through the Department of Homeland Security. The grant will be utilized to acquire firefighting vehicles.

“The funds will aid the Tutwiler firefighters in their duties to protect the people and property in the communities in which they serve,” said Musgrove. “We have worked closely with the Department of Homeland Security to obtain funding for first responders to assure they have the proper equipment needed to carry out their jobs.”

The funds for the firefighting vehicles acquisition program will allow the fire departments to purchase the following vehicles: pumpers, brush trucks, tankers, rescue, ambulances, quints, aerials, foam units, and fire boats.

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